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SUBJECT: 212 (A)(33) INELIGIBILITY

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1. VISAS TWO EUGEN FERDINAND SCHMIDT (33).

2. AS A MEMBER OF THE POLITISCHE BEREITSCHAFT, IT IS REASONABLE TO CONCLUDE THAT MR. SCHMID ENGAGED IN POLITICAL TERROR AND PERSECUTION OF JEWS AND OPPONENTS OF THE NAZI REGIME. THESE GROUPS ALSO PLAYED A ROLE IN THE ROHM PURGE IN 1934. TOGETHER WITH THE LEIBSTANDARTE ADOLF HITLER, THEY WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MURDERS OF AT LEAST TWO HUNDRED SA AND OPPOSITION LEADERS. DURING THIS PERIOD AS WELL, MEMBERS OF THE POLITISCHE BEREITSHAFTEN WERE DETAILED TO GUARD THE CONCENTRATION CAMPS.

3. IN THE ABSENCE OF ANY EXCULPATORY TESTIMONY ON HIS PART, IT IS REASONABLE TO CONCLUDE THAT MR. SCHMIDT SERVED WITH THE AGRICULTURAL POLICY OFFICE OF THE SS, WHICH SETTLED SS FAMILIES ON LAND CONFISCATED FROM JEWS AND MEMBERS OF THE OPPOSITION. HE MAY ALSO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN THE UTILIZATION OF SLAVE LABOR ON THE SS

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FARM SYSTEM WHICH PROVIDED FOOD TO THE VARIOUS SS UNITS.

4: AS ALWAYS, DEPARTMENT IS WILLING TO REVIEW A CASE WHEN NEW INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE. THERE ARE POINTS IN THIS CASE WHICH COULD UNDOUBTEDLY BE EXPLAINED IF MR. SCHMIDT WERE MORE FORTHCOMING. SHULTZ

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